

**U.S. District Court  
District of Columbia (Washington, DC)  
CIVIL DOCKET FOR CASE #: 1:18-cv-02851-DLF**

CENTER FOR REPRODUCTIVE RIGHTS v. U.S.  
DEPARTMENT OF STATE  
Assigned to: Judge Dabney L. Friedrich  
Case: 1:18-cv-02217-DLF  
Cause: 05:552 Freedom of Information Act

Date Filed: 12/05/2018  
Jury Demand: None  
Nature of Suit: 895 Freedom of  
Information Act  
Jurisdiction: U.S. Government Defendant

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Date Filed	#	Docket Text
12/05/2018	<u>1</u>	COMPLAINT against U.S. DEPARTMENT OF STATE ( Filing fee \$ 400 receipt number 0090–5823293) filed by CENTER FOR REPRODUCTIVE RIGHTS. (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Exhibit A, # <u>2</u> Exhibit B, # <u>3</u> Exhibit C, # <u>4</u> Exhibit D, # <u>5</u> Exhibit E, # <u>6</u> Exhibit F, # <u>7</u> Civil Cover Sheet, # <u>8</u> Notice of Related Case, # <u>9</u> Summons DOJ, # <u>10</u> Summons DOS, # <u>11</u> Summons USAO, # <u>12</u> Corporate Disclosure Statement)(Miller, Wendy) (Entered: 12/05/2018)
12/05/2018	<u>2</u>	NOTICE OF RELATED CASE by CENTER FOR REPRODUCTIVE RIGHTS. Case related to Case No. 18cv2217. (zrdj) (Entered: 12/06/2018)
12/05/2018	<u>3</u>	LCvR 26.1 CERTIFICATE OF DISCLOSURE of Corporate Affiliations and Financial Interests by CENTER FOR REPRODUCTIVE RIGHTS (zrdj) (Entered: 12/06/2018)
12/06/2018		Case Assigned to Judge Dabney L. Friedrich. (zrdj) (Entered: 12/06/2018)
12/06/2018	<u>4</u>	SUMMONS (3) Issued Electronically as to U.S. DEPARTMENT OF STATE, U.S. Attorney and U.S. Attorney General (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Notice and Consent)(zrdj) (Entered: 12/06/2018)
12/18/2018	<u>5</u>	RETURN OF SERVICE/AFFIDAVIT of Summons and Complaint Executed on United States Attorney General. Date of Service Upon United States Attorney General 12/13/2018. (Miller, Wendy) (Entered: 12/18/2018)
12/18/2018	<u>6</u>	RETURN OF SERVICE/AFFIDAVIT of Summons and Complaint Executed. U.S. DEPARTMENT OF STATE served on 12/14/2018 (Miller, Wendy) (Entered: 12/18/2018)
12/19/2018	<u>7</u>	NOTICE of Appearance by Damon William Taaffe on behalf of U.S. DEPARTMENT OF STATE (Taaffe, Damon) (Entered: 12/19/2018)
12/19/2018	<u>8</u>	RETURN OF SERVICE/AFFIDAVIT of Summons and Complaint Executed as to the United States Attorney. Date of Service Upon United States Attorney on 12/13/2018. Answer due for ALL FEDERAL DEFENDANTS by 1/12/2019. (Miller, Wendy) (Entered: 12/19/2018)
01/12/2019	<u>9</u>	MOTION to Stay by U.S. DEPARTMENT OF STATE (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Text of Proposed Order)(Coles–Huff, Doris) (Entered: 01/12/2019)
01/22/2019		MINUTE ORDER granting in part the defendant's consent <u>9</u> Motion for Stay of All Proceedings in Light of Lapse of Appropriations. Accordingly, it is ORDERED that the deadline for responding to the plaintiff's complaint is extended and the defendant shall file its answer or other response to the plaintiff's complaint within 22 days after Congress restores appropriations to the Department of Justice. Signed by Judge Dabney L. Friedrich on January 22, 2019. (lclfl1) (Entered: 01/22/2019)
02/14/2019	<u>10</u>	NOTICE OF SUBSTITUTION OF COUNSEL by Christopher Charles Hair on behalf of U.S. DEPARTMENT OF STATE Substituting for attorney Damon Taaffe (Hair, Christopher) (Entered: 02/14/2019)
02/19/2019	<u>11</u>	ANSWER to Complaint by U.S. DEPARTMENT OF STATE.(Hair, Christopher) (Entered: 02/19/2019)

02/20/2019		MINUTE ORDER requiring the parties to MEET AND CONFER and file a joint status report proposing a schedule for further proceedings. The parties shall file the joint status report on or before March 12, 2019. Signed by Judge Dabney L. Friedrich on February 20, 2019. (lcldf1) (Entered: 02/20/2019)
03/12/2019	<u>12</u>	Joint STATUS REPORT by U.S. DEPARTMENT OF STATE. (Hair, Christopher) (Entered: 03/12/2019)
03/13/2019		MINUTE ORDER adopting the proposal in the parties' <u>12</u> Joint Status Report. Accordingly, it is ORDERED that the parties shall file another joint status report on or before June 10, 2019. Signed by Judge Dabney L. Friedrich on March 13, 2019. (lcldf1) (Entered: 03/13/2019)
06/10/2019	<u>13</u>	NOTICE of Appearance by Mia C. Donnelly on behalf of CENTER FOR REPRODUCTIVE RIGHTS (Donnelly, Mia) (Entered: 06/10/2019)
06/10/2019	<u>14</u>	MOTION for Leave to Appear Pro Hac Vice :Attorney Name– Heather L. Richardson, :Firm– Gibson, Dunn & Crutcher LLP, :Address– 333 South Grand Avenue, Los Angeles, CA 90071. Phone No. – 213–229–7000. Fax No. – 213–229–7520 Filing fee \$ 100, receipt number 0090–6177320. Fee Status: Fee Paid. by CENTER FOR REPRODUCTIVE RIGHTS (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Declaration, # <u>2</u> Text of Proposed Order)(Donnelly, Mia) (Entered: 06/10/2019)
06/10/2019	<u>15</u>	Joint STATUS REPORT by CENTER FOR REPRODUCTIVE RIGHTS. (Donnelly, Mia) (Entered: 06/10/2019)
06/10/2019		MINUTE ORDER granting the plaintiff's <u>14</u> Motion for Leave to Appear Pro Hac Vice. Accordingly, it is ORDERED that Heather L. Richardson may enter an appearance pro hac vice for the purpose of representing the plaintiff in this action. Signed by Judge Dabney L. Friedrich on June 10, 2019. (lcldf1) (Entered: 06/10/2019)
06/11/2019		MINUTE ORDER. In light of the parties' <u>15</u> Joint Status Report, it is ORDERED that (1) the defendant shall process at least 300 pages of responsive records per month, (2) the defendant shall provide the number of potentially responsive documents and the number of associated pages to the plaintiff on or before July 22, 2019, and (3) the parties shall file another joint status report on or before September 8, 2019. Signed by Judge Dabney L. Friedrich on June 11, 2019. (lcldf1) (Entered: 06/11/2019)
06/12/2019		NOTICE OF ERROR re <u>15</u> Status Report; emailed to mdonnelly@gibsondunn.com, cc'd 3 associated attorneys -- The PDF file you docketed contained errors: 1. Please do not refile. In the future, ECF login and signatue must match. (zttth, ) (Entered: 06/12/2019)
09/06/2019	<u>16</u>	Joint STATUS REPORT by CENTER FOR REPRODUCTIVE RIGHTS. (Miller, Wendy) (Entered: 09/06/2019)